

Five corporate conglomerates now control the TV media in broadcast, cable, and satellite TV. To allow them to increase their domain in both radio and newspaper ownership would be a travesty to freedom of speech and would eliminate a much-needed check and balance in a democracy. All viewpoints must be heard in a democracy, and such action would only result in censorship by corporate America. People must be allowed to hear all viewpoints in order to make informed decisions regarding politics and their daily lives. Many people in this Great Nation of Ours have given their lives in the name of democracy. Let us not give up democracy, for which they have made the supreme sacrifice.